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| INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/JP01/04818 | INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 07 June 2001 (07.06.01) | PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 06 July 2000 (06.07.00) | | | | | |
| TITLE OF INVENTION METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING (| CERAMIC SUBSTRATE | | | | | | |
| APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Akira HASHIMOTO | | | | | | | |
| Applicant herewith submits to the united States | Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) th | ne following items and other information: | | | | | |
| 1. This is a FIRST submission o | f items concerning a filing under 35 | U.S.C. 371. | | | | | |
| 2. | EQUENT submission of items concer | rning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. | | | | | |
| 3. This is an express request to b | egin national examination procedures | s (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission | | | | | |
| must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. 4. US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31). | | | | | | | |
| 5. A copy of the International Ap | oplication as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2 | 2)) | | | | | |
| a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. has been communicated by the International Bureau. | | | | | | | |
| c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). | | | | | | | |
| | on of the International Application as | filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). | | | | | |
| a. is attached hereto. b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). | | | | | | | |
| 7. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) | | | | | | | |
| a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. have been communicated by the International Bureau. c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. have not been made and will not be made. | | | | | | | |
| An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). | | | | | | | |
| 9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). | | | | | | | |
| 10. An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). | | | | | | | |
| Items 11 to 20 below concern documen 11. An Information Disclosure State | ts(s) or information included: ement under 37 U.S.C. 1.97 and 1.98 | | | | | | |
| 2. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. | | | | | | | |
| 3. A FIRST preliminary amendment. | | | | | | | |
| 14. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT | preliminary amendment. | | | | | | |
| 15. A substitute specification. | | | | | | | |
| 16. A change of power of attorney a | nd/or address letter. | | | | | | |
| 7. A computer readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 – 1.825. | | | | | | | |
| A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). | | | | | | | |
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494):

- . U.S. Basic National Fees
- Priority Document
- Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- · Copy of the International Search Report
- Information Disclosure Statements
- Oath or Declaration
- Preliminary Amendments
- Request for Immediate Examination

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than the appropriate 20 months months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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• \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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